

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

PS- Education (SE) Deptt. – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri S.Dharma Raju, D.E.O., Srikakulam (now retired) – Charges framed – Inquiry conducted – Charges held proved - Show Cause Notice issued for imposing the penalty of “withholding of 5% pension permanently” – Explanation – received – Decided to confirm the punishment proposed – Final Orders – Issued.

EDUCATION [SE-Vig.I(1)] DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 387

Dated: 24.07.2012

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.72, Edn.[SE-Vig.I(1)]Deptt., dated 29.08.2006
2. G.O.Rt.No.585, Edn.[SE-Vig.I(1)]Deptt., dated 29.08.2006
3. From Sri S.Dharma Raju, Written statement of defence, dt.02.12.2006
4. G.O.Rt.No.44, Edn., dt.20.01.2007
5. From Smt. Chandana Khan, I.A.S., Commissioner of Inquiries, inquiry report dt.30.7.200
6. Govt.Memo.No.23255/SE-Vig.I(1)/2005 -9, dt.14.06.2010
7. From Sri S.Dharma Raju, Explanation dt.2.5.2012.
8. Govt. Letter.No.23255/SE-Vig.I(1)/2005-11, dt.21.06.2012.
9. From the APPSC, Lr.No.1296/RT/1/2012, dt.09.07.2012

ORDER :-

Whereas, sanction has been accorded in the G.O., 1st read above, to prosecute Sri S.Dharma Raju, District Educational Officer, Srikakulam (now retired) in a court of law, on the charges of acquisition of assets disproportionate to his known sources of income. The case is pending in the Court of Spl. Judge for ACB cases, Vishakapatnam.

2. And whereas, article of charges were framed against Sri S.Dharma Raju, DEO, Srikakulam, in the G.O., 2nd read above, for not submitting annual property returns and for not obtaining prior permission for purchase of movable and immovable properties. The Charged Officer has submitted his written statement of defence in the reference 3rd read above and after examination of the written statement defence of the C.O., the case was entrusted to Commissioner of Inquiries in the reference 4th read above, for conducting inquiry into the charges framed against the C.O., Sri S.Dharma Raju.

3. Whereas, Smt. Chandana Khan, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries, conducted inquiry and submitted Inquiry Report in the reference 5th read above, holding that the charges are proved.

4. After considering the matter in detail, Government have issued a Show Cause Notice on the delinquent, proposing to impose the penalty of withholding 5% pension permanently and he has submitted his explanation in the reference 7th read above.

5. Govt. after careful examination of the entire matter in detail, have decided to confirm the penalty proposed in the show cause notice, as there are no valid grounds in the explanation of the delinquent for consideration.

6. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad in the reference 9th read above, have furnished their concurrence on the proposed penalty by the Government.

7. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 9 of A.P.R.P. Rules, 1980, the Government hereby impose **“the penalty of withholding of 5% pension permanently”** on Sri S.Dharma Raju, the then DEO, Srikakulam (now Retd.), pending outcome of the criminal proceedings initiated against him, in the reference 1st read above.

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8. The Commissioner & Director of School Education shall record the said penalty, till outcome of the criminal proceedings pending against the delinquent.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RAJESHWAR TIWARI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (SE)

To
Sri S.Dharma Raju, the then DEO, Srikakulam (now Retd.) **through** the C&DSE,
Hyderabad
The Commissioner & Director of School Education, Hyderabad
Copy to
The Secretary to V.C., Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad
The Director General, Anti- Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad
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SECTION OFFICER